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REMARKS

Any fees that may be due with this paper or with this application during its entire pendency may be charged to Deposit Account No. 08-1641. If a Petition for extension of time is needed, this paper is to be considered such Petition.

Responsive to the communication mailed, October 27, 1998, the aboveamended claim 1 corrects the inadvertent omission of an underlining in the amended claim. It is respectfully submitted that a typographical error in an amended claim is generally not basis to hold a response non-responsive.

It is also noted that a new DECLARATION and Power of Attorney, reappointing the undersigned and her new firm, has been filed (mailed August 14, 1998) in connection with this case. The DECLARATION and Power of Attorney includes a change of address for the undersigned that is not reflected on the communication, which was sent to the prior firm, which no longer has Power of Attorney in this application. The correct address is:

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The Deposit Account to which any charges should be made is 08-1641, the telephone number is 619 450-8400, and the fax number is 619 450-8499. The new docket number for the above captioned application is 24731-500B.

It is also noted, that supplemental responses were filed on June 8, 1998, June 22, 1998 and July 25, 1998. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statements were filed on October 13, 1998 and October 22, 1998.

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In view of the above remarks and the amendments and remarks of record, consideration and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted, HELLER EHRMAN WHITE & MCAULIFFE

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